## About the PM Internship Scheme 2026

The Prime Minister Internship Scheme (PMIS) is a flagship initiative by the Government of India, implemented by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA). Launched following the Union Budget 2024-25, the scheme aims to provide 1 crore (10 million) paid internships over five years in India's top 500 companies.

As of April 2026, Round 3 applications are actively open, offering over 21,700 internship opportunities across more than 20 industrial sectors. The scheme targets Indian youth aged 21-24 who are not in full-time employment or regular education. Eligible candidates include those who have completed at least Class 10, ITI, diploma, or graduation (non-professional degrees).

### Key Benefits at a Glance

- **Monthly Stipend:** ₹9,000 (Government contributes ₹8,100 + Company contributes ₹900)
- **One-time Grant:** ₹6,000 for incidental expenses like travel and onboarding
- **Duration:** 12 months (minimum 6 months of hands-on work)
- **Insurance:** Life and personal accident coverage
- **Application Mode:** Completely online and free

### Why This Scheme Matters

Internships have become essential for employability in India's competitive job market. A degree alone often falls short. Employers seek candidates with practical skills, real-world exposure, and industry readiness. PMIS bridges this gap by providing structured industry exposure in top private and public sector companies across sectors like IT, banking, healthcare, manufacturing, retail, FMCG, telecom, energy, and more.

The scheme uses an AI-driven matching portal to align candidate profiles with suitable roles based on education, skills, location preferences, and company needs. Opportunities are available in over 380 districts across India, promoting balanced regional development and inclusivity for youth from low- to middle-income families.

### Important Eligibility Criteria

- Indian citizen
- Age 21 to 24 years (as on application deadline)

- Not in full-time employment or full-time regular education (distance/online learners eligible)
- Family annual income up to ₹8 lakh (generally)
- Aadhaar-linked bank account required

### How to Apply

The application process is fully online. Candidates must visit the official portal, register using Aadhaar eKYC, complete their profile, browse available opportunities, and submit applications for up to 3-5 roles per cycle. There is no application fee.

### For Complete, Step-by-Step Guidance

The summary above provides only an overview. For the **full, detailed article** covering:

- Complete eligibility criteria with exceptions
- Document checklist
- Step-by-step application process with screenshots
- List of participating companies
- Official guidelines PDF links
- Tips for successful application and completion
- Frequently asked questions (FAQs)
- Grievance redressal and helpline information

**Please refer to the official detailed guide here:**

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## Final Note

The PM Internship Scheme 2026 is a transformative opportunity for Indian youth to gain paid, real-world experience in top companies. However, scheme guidelines, deadlines, and available opportunities are updated regularly on the official portal. Always verify critical information from official sources. For a comprehensive, easy-to-understand walkthrough, bookmark the Myojanaa guide linked above.